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Citizenship and immigration have become a hot-button political issue in recent years in Canada, as well as in many other destination countries. Debates range from admission questions – who should be allowed to enter, according to what criteria, and for how long – to queries about the civil rights of migrants, cultural diversity, and the level of integration that can legitimately be expected from newcomers once they have settled in the country. Another emerging topic is the growing impact of economic remittances, transnational investments, and political contributions by dual citizens in both sending and receiving countries. This course will explore these new developments, placing them in the broader context of Canadian immigration law, history, and policy. We will also refer to comparative evidence from the United States, Australia, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, the United Kingdom, and Singapore, as well as examine the changing conceptions of membership in leading emigrant-sending countries, including Mexico, India, and China. With this global perspective in mind, we will chart the new terrain for Canadian citizenship and immigration law for the twenty-first century.

#### **EVALUATION**

- <u>Class participation (15%)</u>: Class meetings will be organized around a discussion of each week's readings. Class participation includes attendance, substantive participation in weekly discussions, and one in-class presentation of a comment paper (see below).
- 1,250 words (five-page) comment paper (15%): The comment paper will be a critical assessment of one or more of the sources on the reading list. Comment papers are due at 4 p.m. on the day before the class readings are scheduled to be discussed. Please e-mail the comment paper to ayelet.shachar@utoronto.ca. Each student is expected to use the five-page comment paper to illuminate an important question in the reading or to develop their own coherent argument based on the readings. The submission of the comment paper will be accompanied by a short inclass presentation of the paper. Students must sign up for the oral presentation of one of their comment papers ahead of time, during the second meeting of the seminar.
- <u>Final research paper of 6,000-6,500 words (approx. 20 to 25 pages) (70%)</u>: The final paper's topic must be pre-approved by the instructor. A one-page outline of your paper and a preliminary bibliography must be turned in by 2:00 p.m., Monday, February 24, 2014. The final paper is due by 10 a.m. on the last day of the reading period, April 24, 2014 (Records Office).

#### READING MATERIALS

• The reading materials will draw upon Canadian and comparative jurisprudence and legislation governing citizenship and immigration law, as well as contemporary political theory, globalization studies, and social science literature. The reading material is assembled in a course packet, *Citizenship*, *Immigration and Globalization*, edited by Professor Shachar (Faculty of Law, University of Toronto, 2014). The course packet is available for purchase at the Law School's bookstore. Additional copies will be placed on short-term reserve at the Bora Laskin Law Library. Course materials will also be posted on Blackboard.

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